

Public Assistance Facts and Figures

For the Month of
November 2007

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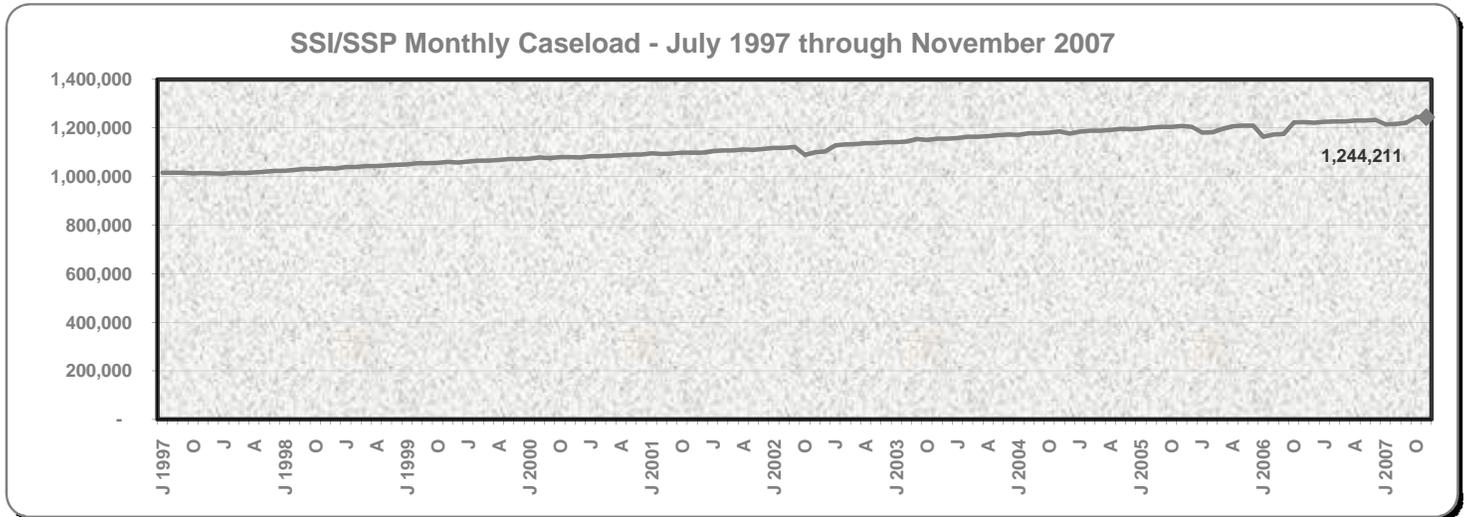
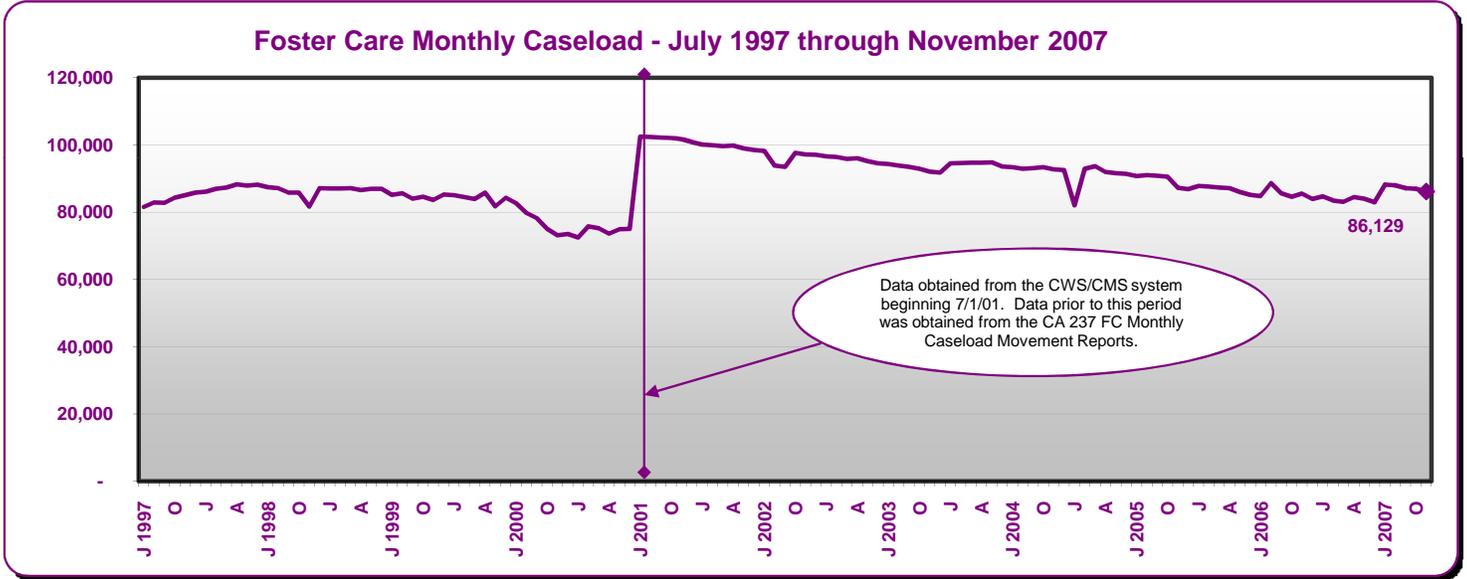
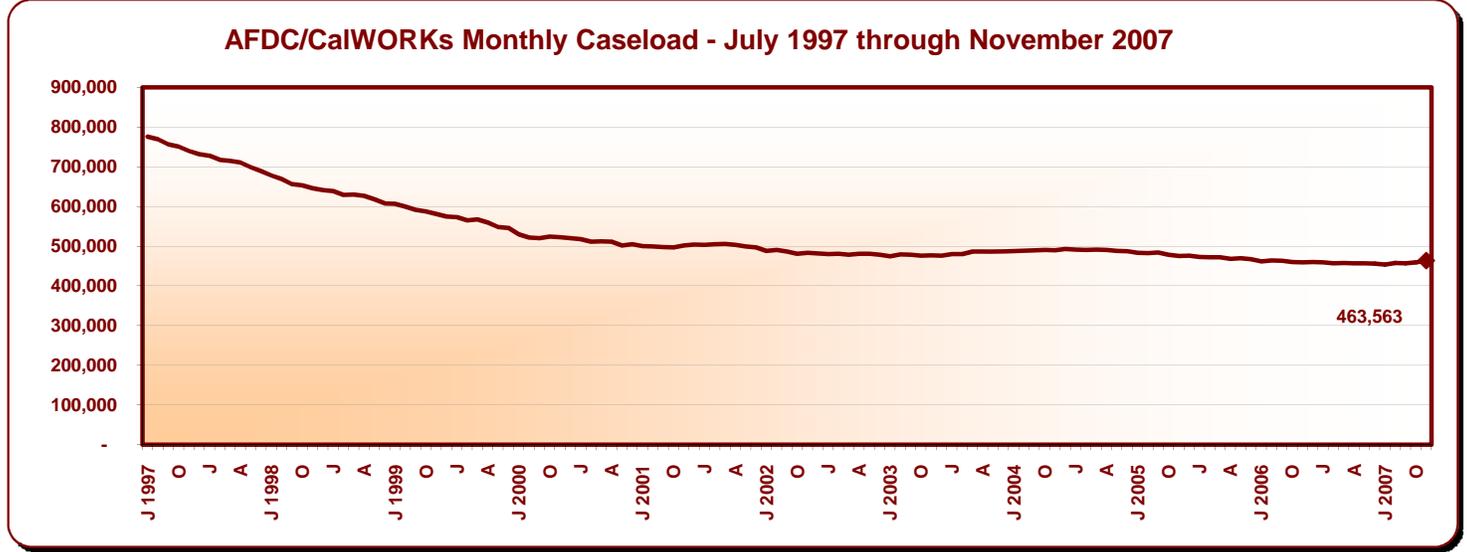
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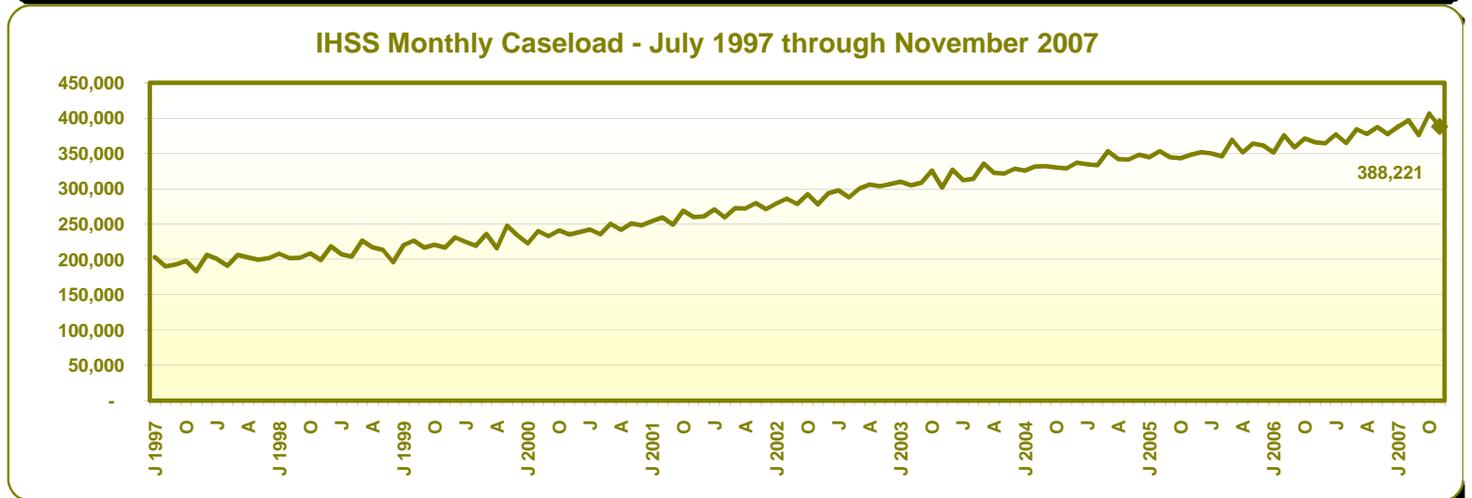
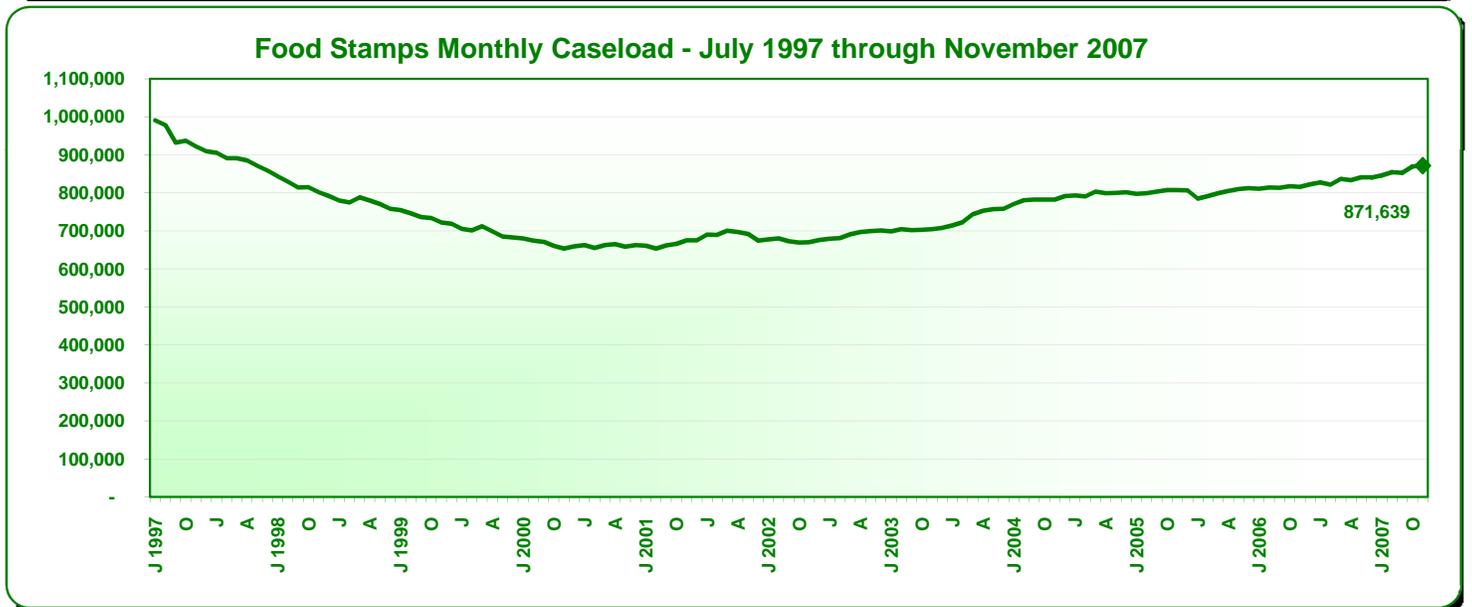
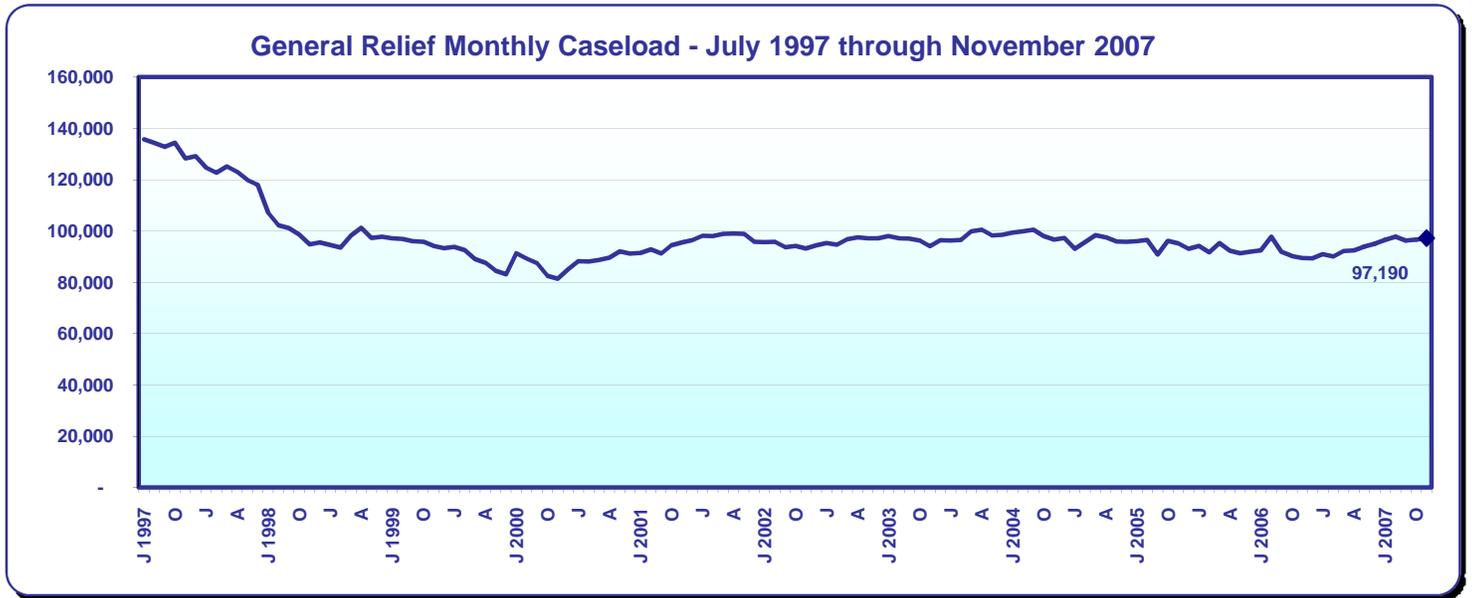


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Programs	Recipients				Average Monthly Benefits	
	November 2007	Change from October 2007	Percent Change from		November 2007	November 2006
			October 2007	November 2006		
California Work Opportunity and Responsibility to Kids (CalWORKs) - persons a/	1,144,829	517	0.0	0.7	\$	\$
Children	904,883	443	0.0	(0.1)		
Cases	463,563	3,903	0.9	0.9	535.80	525.38
CalWORKs payments (\$ in millions)	\$248.4	\$4.8	1.9	2.9		
Two Parent Families - persons	132,165	318	0.2	2.1		
Children	76,273	(17)	(0.0)	(0.9)		
Cases	33,907	684	2.1	3.3	617.00	610.65
Payments (\$ in millions)	\$20.9	\$0.4	1.7	4.4		
Zero Parent Families - persons	318,020	1,035	0.3	0.3		
Children	318,020	1,035	0.3	0.3		
Cases	164,314	1,135	0.7	0.2	505.97	492.98
Payments (\$ in millions)	\$83.1	\$2.5	3.1	2.8		
All Other Families - persons	497,246	(1,130)	(0.2)	1.3		
Children	336,465	(891)	(0.3)	(0.1)		
Cases	191,340	1,407	0.7	1.4	558.12	549.42
Payments (\$ in millions)	\$106.8	\$1.4	1.3	3.0		
TANF Timed-Out - persons	82,774	23	0.0	(6.6)		
Children	59,501	45	0.1	(7.6)		
Cases	28,530	269	1.0	(4.7)	592.76	577.39
Payments (\$ in millions)	\$16.9	\$0.4	2.7	(2.2)		
Safety Net - persons	114,624	271	0.2	3.7		
Children	114,624	271	0.2	3.7		
Cases	45,472	408	0.9	3.0	453.36	444.36
Payments (\$ in millions)	\$20.6	\$0.1	0.6	5.1		
Foster Care (FC) Program - children	86,129	(826)	(0.9)	0.7		
Relative Home placements	31,140	(382)	(1.2)	2.1		
Foster Family Agency placements	22,110	(321)	(1.4)	4.8		
Foster Family Home placements	8,328	(116)	(1.4)	(3.4)		
Group Home placements	14,207	(51)	(0.4)	(4.8)		
Guardian Home placements	8,323	38	0.5	(1.3)		
Other/Unspecified Home placements	1,646	(5)	(0.3)	1.7		
Other Facility placements	375	11	3.0	5.0		
Supplemental Security Income/State Supplementary Payment (SSI/SSP) - persons b/	1,244,211	(478)	(0.0)	1.7		
Aged	367,066	261	0.1	1.4	532.18	524.92
Blind	20,789	(51)	(0.2)	(2.1)	663.86	650.96
Disabled	856,356	(688)	(0.1)	2.0	639.94	624.79
SSI/SSP payments (\$ in millions)	\$757.2	(\$7.2)	(0.9)	3.9		
General Relief (GR) - persons	97,190	998	1.0	7.8	221.41	223.09
	November 2007	October 2007	November 2006			
California unemployment rate (seasonally adjusted)	5.6%	5.6%	4.7%			
California population on assistance c/	6.8	6.8	6.8			

a/ All CalWORKs data is for cash grant cases only.

b/ Estimate based on preliminary data from the Social Security Administration.

c/ Persons receiving CalWORKs, SSI/SSP, or GR.

Data represents the most current statistics available at the time of publication. Current month data includes prior month(s) data if current month is not reported timely by the County. Prior period data is updated to include the most current information, including County reported changes/updates.

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Federal and State Food Stamp (FS) Program						
Persons.....	2,138,767	10,867	0.5	5.8	Average Coupon Value	
Assistance: persons.....	654,424	4,505	0.7	0.4	113.03	105.55
households.....	257,194	838	0.3	0.1		
Nonassistance: persons.....	1,484,343	6,362	0.4	8.3		
households.....	614,445	1,807	0.3	9.9		
Expenditures paid (\$ in millions).....	\$241.7	\$0.9	0.4	13.3		
Federal Food Stamp (FS) Program						
Persons.....	2,118,581	10,587	0.5	5.8	113.22	105.69
Assistance: persons.....	649,706	4,446	0.7	0.4		
households d/.....	255,830	832	0.3	0.1		
Nonassistance: persons.....	1,468,875	6,141	0.4	8.4		
households d/.....	607,724	1,648	0.3	10.0		
Expenditures paid (\$ in millions).....	\$239.9	\$0.8	0.3	13.3		
California Food Assistance Program (CFAP) e/						
Persons.....	20,186	280	1.4	0.6	93.14	91.54
Assistance: persons.....	4,718	59	1.3	(0.3)		
households f/.....	1,364	6	0.4	0.0		
Nonassistance: persons.....	15,468	221	1.4	0.9		
persons.....	6,721	159	2.4	2.2		
Expenditures p households f/.....	\$1.9	\$0.1	3.1	2.4		
In-Home Supportive Services (IHSS)						
Persons receiving paid services.....	388,221	(18,065)	(4.4)	6.1	869.78	822.41
Hours of service paid.....	33,488,586	(1,148,001)	(3.3)	7.0		
Expenditures paid (\$ in millions).....	\$337.7	(\$11.3)	(3.3)	12.2		

d/ Combined count of Federal only and a portion of Federal-CFAP mixed households based on the percentage of Federal persons in Federal-CFAP mixed households.

e/ Combined count of State only and a portion of Federal-CFAP mixed households based on the percentage of State persons in Federal-CFAP mixed households.

f/ Based on paid cases for the month.

CalWORKs Non-Exempt Assistance Unit Maximum Aid Payment (MAP) and Food Stamp (FS) Allotment

MAP (Effective 7/1/07 - 8/31/07)			FS Allotments (10/1/06 - 9/30/07)	
Eligible persons in the same home	Region 1	Region 2	Eligible persons in the FS household	Maximum Coupon Allotment
1	\$359	\$340	1	\$162
2	584	555	2	298
3	723	689	3	426
4	862	821	4	542
5	980	934	5	643
6	1,101	1,049	6	772
7	1,210	1,150	7	853
8	1,318	1,255	8	975
9	1,424	1,356	9	1077
10+	1,530	1,456	each additional person	122

SSI/SSP Grant Levels (Effective 1/1/07)

	Aged or Disabled			Blind		
	Total	SSI	SSP	Total	SSI	SSP
Individual	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Independent.....	856.00	623.00	233.00	921.00	623.00	298.00
Household of another.....	649.00	415.00	234.00	730.00	415.00	315.00
Non-medical Out-of-Home Care.....	1,035.00	623.00	412.00	1,035.00	623.00	412.00
Couple						
Independent, neither member blind.....	1,502.00	934.00	568.00	xxx	xxx	xxx
Independent, one member blind.....	xxx	xxx	xxx	1,644.00	934.00	710.00
Independent, both members blind.....	xxx	xxx	xxx	1,729.00	934.00	795.00
Non-medical Out-of-Home Care.....	2,070.00	934.00	1,136.00	2,070.00	934.00	1,136.00